

**The Weekly Chronicle.**

THE DALLES, OREGON

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

From the Daily Chronicle, Tuesday.  
Mrs. James Wilson, who has been on a visit to Dufur friends, has returned to the city.

The Czarowitz may be expected to visit this country in June. The young fellow is said to be as cold as a frozen oyster to the tender passion, but if he doesn't lock himself up in a fire proof safe the American girls will melt him out, and his imperial dad may book him among the extra hazardous risks of the family.

We have been to Portland and taken in decoration day procession, cruises and all. Yesterday was a big day for everybody in the metropolis. The Dalles delegation was conspicuous in the city, and helped to make Conductor Harry Fowlers' train up to five coaches and three sleepers, besides the mail, baggage and express, requiring two locomotives to pull it out of Sullivan's gulch and up to Latourelle falls on time.

The congressional candidate of the people's party for the second Oregon district made a speech the other day up in Grant county on the currency question. If there is anything in the world about which Mr. Lucas knows everything that is to be known it is the currency and the per capita circulation. "My friends" said our next congressman, "the great trouble is we haven't got enough money in circulation. We want more money to do business with. In 1864 the per capita circulation was \$26. In 1892 the per capita circulation is reduced to seven dollars. Where is the money gone to my friends? I'll tell you where its gone to. You hain't got it."

The CHRONICLE was in error Saturday in stating that the cow which attempted to swim the Columbia sank below Rockland landing. She swam into the eddy and landed on this side, and after much difficulty was safely secured. Her owner, Peter Aggins, who was knocked senseless by her, is still in a critical condition, but is doing as well as can be expected for a serious case like his. The cow struck him, with all her force, in the stomach, and he fell over backwards, injuring the brain by a fall on the sidewalk. He has recovered consciousness sufficient to remember coming on to the ferry boat with the cow, but remembers nothing of events happening after leaving the ferry.

The blustering winds of yesterday and the blinding dust, did not deter a large number of citizens from accompanying the march of the James Nesmith Post, G. A. R., to the cemetery and joining with them in the celebration of decoration day. At two o'clock the two companies of militia, under command of Lieut. Colonel Thompson, headed by the Regulator band formed in line and marched out of the city as an escort to the veterans. The fine soldierly bearing and movements of the militia boys were observed by all and commented on by many, as a marked improvement over last year. At the cemetery the beautiful ritual service was read, by Comrade W. S. Myers interspersed with music by the band and a select choir of vocalists. Then followed the formal decoration of the cenotaph by the comrades which, by special invitation was participated in by companies A and C, third regiment O. N. G. At the close of the services the bugle sounded taps, the line was reformed and the procession marched back to the city arriving here a little after 4 p. m.

From the Daily Chronicle, Wednesday.  
Circuit court stands adjourned until the 13th.

The supply of dust in The Dalles today is far ahead of the demand.

The Columbia at this point, this morning, stood as it was yesterday morning.

Next Monday a new term of German school will begin at the parsonage of Rev. A. Horn, on 9th street.

Early this morning a little fire in the Umatilla house office stove, just enough to take off the chill, was very acceptable.

The strawberry crop this year will be double that of last in the Hood River district. The average size of the fruit beats the world.

Mr. W. H. Smith, superintendent of the coach department at the U. P. R. R. shops in Albina, was in The Dalles today renewing old time acquaintances.

Lack of vitality and color-matter in the bulbs causes the hair to fall out and turn gray. We recommend Hall's Hair Renewer to prevent baldness and grayness.

Evangelical Lutheran services will be held at 10:30 a. m., Pentecost Sunday, at the chapel on Ninth street. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. All are cordially welcome. A. Horn, pastor.

Eastern Oregon wool against the world. For fine fleeces, no other portion of the country can show better than may be seen daily in The Dalles. Offerings today are 15 1/2 cents per pound or choice lots.

Conductor Mitchell had a fine train up last night. It consisted of fourteen coaches, two of which belonged to the editorial fraternity and three to the Presbyterian delegates. It required two locomotives to pull the train.

The noon passenger came in today with a stiff breeze which put the train five minutes ahead of time. It's an ill wind that don't blow some good.

Wool is coming in freely, and competent judges say it is of finer quality than the average of many years. The price is too low to stimulate lively trading, but the prospects are brightening every day. Sales now are mostly confined to small lots.

Boys, abscesses, tumors, and even cancers, are the result of a natural effort of the system to expel the poisons which the liver and kidneys have failed to remove. Ayers Sarsaparilla stimulates all the organs to a proper performance of their functions.

The nip of a poisonous snake is but a slight remove from being more dangerous than the poison of scrofula in the blood. Ayer's Sarsaparilla purifies the vital fluid, expels all poisonous substances, and supplies the elements of life, health and strength.

Mr. A. M. Kelsey, of Antelope, left a sample of his fine delaine wool at THE CHRONICLE office today. It is a sample of 40,000 pounds which he has sheared and is to shear this season. And it would be very hard to beat in any other portion of the continent.

Speaking of the comforts and discomforts of a cold June morning, Mr. H. C. Nielsen tells a good one on himself. This morning he had occasion to drive to Mr. Klindts place, and thoughtfully took an overcoat along belonging to the old gentleman, but he did not think to wear the overcoat, until he alighted from the buggy at Mr. Klindts, shivering with the cold so much that it made it difficult for him to tie the horse. Then he thought of the overcoat, on the buggy seat. He put it on immediately, and walked into the house where he warmed himself by the kitchen stove.

In the early sixties the mines of Baker county were all tributary to The Dalles. They were barely known then. Now statistics from two of these mines show an aggregate output during 1891 of \$2,128,540.96, and there are at least fifty more mines to hear from equally as rich. The figures of all will be compiled to enable Senator Dolph to convince the committee on appropriations that a government assay office should be established in Baker City. Years ago a fine stone structure was built in The Dalles for a branch mint. If that mint had been completed, in accordance with the demands of the times, The Dalles would yet have been the headquarters for all mining operations in the Inland Empire. It was a short sighted policy which caused its abandonment. It makes an elegant flouring mill, but we hope Baker City may be more fortunate. In fact THE CHRONICLE would say, if The Dalles cannot have a branch mint, it would be no disadvantage to the country to give one to Baker City.

From the Daily Chronicle, Thursday.  
The good road builder is a bigger man than the politician.

Now they are at home in Minneapolis, and futures may be considered reliable.

June 2d. That seems queer. We had our summer weather in February this year.

The draying and trucking business of Mt. Hood has been purchased by Messrs. Williams & Co.

From yesterday morning, until this morning at 8 o'clock, the river had fallen eight-tenths of a foot.

Miss Ella and May Booth of Portland, once residents of The Dalles, are visiting friends in the city.

The vote on the silver bill in the senate has been deferred until after the Minneapolis convention.

Congregational prayer meeting this (Thursday) evening at Mrs. Myers' on Third street at 8 o'clock.

W. Jennings Demorest has a happy faculty of getting more advertising for nothing than those experienced foragers: Geo. P. Rowell & Co.

At the late meeting of the prohibition club in this city Mrs. Dr. Ingalls read a very instructive address which may soon be given to the public.

The business of shipping fish from The Dalles by express has fallen off considerably the past week, but fruit shipments are frequent and liberal.

Mrs. Donnell has the best wishes of THE CHRONICLE on all general occasions, but especially for the fragrant bouquet which decorates our window.

The Dalles CHRONICLE is in receipt of Vol. 1, No. 4, of the Frankfort Chronicle. Now we can say Washington has as neatly printed paper as The Dalles. It is an eight page well filled sheet, similar in appearance to this, and to add to its excellence has a Dalles man at the helm, Mr. E. C. Pentland.

The dangerous practice of boys jumping on trains in the city resulted in a serious accident at Walla Walla a few days since. In this case the boy boarded the train at the water tank, and when nearing the depot the conductor stepped out of the car door, and the boy fearing he was going to order him off, jumped to the ground with such force that he fell on his head, rendering him unconscious. He was picked up and carried to his father's residence near by, and a physician was called. On examination it was found that the skull had been fractured just above the right eye. He is reported to be in a precarious condition.

Mrs. J. D. Lee, on the eve of her departure to her new home in Portland, was the recipient of a testimonial from her co-laborers and friends in the W. C. T. U., assembled at the house of Mrs. S. B. Adams; which will long be cherished. It was in the form of a book, bearing upon its pages the ensign of the order, numerous decorations, and the autograph of several friends with suitable inscriptions. It was a surprise to her, and when the presentation was made in a well worded address, freighted with sentiments of fraternal regrets, by Mrs. Smith French, the president of the union, Mrs. Lee was taken wholly aback, but with her characteristic self possession she rallied, and by the time Mrs. French was through with her address Mrs. Lee responded in a manner at once convincing of the appropriateness of the incident. Mrs. Lee goes to join her husband, who has established in business in Portland, and besides the ties which bind her to The Dalles through the sisterhood of the union, has a legion of other friends who wish her happiness in the new field.

Nature has been lavish with her endowments for the perpetuation of the beautiful in this grand and superb northwest, and it does one good to gather an original idea descriptive of it. Such, for instance, as this, from the Frankfort Chronicle: "One more glance at the shore which we have left, and we see the house dotted hills becoming less and less distinct, and we turn our attention once more to what is going on around us, and to the thickly wooded shores of the north side of the river. Tanzy point, on the Oregon side, is far away, and now we are abreast of Tongue point, while in the distance, on the Washington side, looms up, as a lily in a bouquet of pinks and roses, the snow-crowned summit of the stately Mt. St. Helens. All is quiet, and the sun's rays kiss the bashful ripples which dimple the placid waters of the noble river as it pursues its onward course to the broad Pacific. As we again look around we see Fort Stevens, and across in Washington Fort Canby. Point Ellis soon closes the latter from our view, and looking further we perceive Saddle Rock mountain, which is appropriately named, and only requires a little imagination to see the historic Hidalgo, booted and spurred, seated on it."

**CHRONICLE BRIEVITIES.**

**Matters of Interest Reduced to Suitable Proportion.**

Hon. Jos. Simon left Portland today for Minneapolis, the east and Europe.

The Baltimore sailed away from Portland yesterday, for Puget sound. The only protection left in the river now is the Charleston, the Cyclone and the Cricket.

The cyclone blows furiously in Kansas, but it has not yet succeeded in lifting a single farm mortgage.

There are seven lady candidates for school superintendents on the peoples party ticket in Oregon. The counties are Multnomah, Lane, Benton, Union, Umatilla, Morrow and Douglas.

The commencement exercises of the state university in Eugene, have almost been lost sight of in the excitement of election talk. The faculty are devoting their time to preliminary arrangements and the usual interesting exercises may be expected.

Salem is preparing for a grand exhibition of roses and strawberries. As a result of last year's show thousands of new rose bushes were set out. A fine show now will make it a hundred thousand next year. Then, suggests the Journal, Salem may be called the rose city.

Sarah Bernhardt carried home with her a small box filled with American sand. As typical of the country this is a most appropriate emblem and indicates that the eminent tragedienne did not associate to any great extent with the American dude.

The manager of the casino at Monte Carlo has published an annual statement showing a neat little profit of \$5,700,000 for the season just closed. There has long been a suspicion that the robust French tiger is not remaining on the Riviera solely for his health.

Hon. W. R. Ellis met with a very serious accident at Arlington yesterday, by the running away of a stage team, one leg was broken, and the candidate was otherwise badly shaken up. This will necessitate his retirement, but his friends will carry on the campaign all the same.

The Salvation Army band headed the Tacoma G. A. R. procession on the 30th. In fact it was the only band in the parade. The musicians union band was not employed because it demanded excessive pay. One of the union musicians who wished to evince his patriotism by playing free, but was prevented by the union, announces his intention never to play again in Tacoma.

There is no foundation for the report that the president intends to veto the river and harbor bill. Mr. Harrison will know full well, when this bill reaches him, that it is a measure of such importance that the greatest commercial interests of the nation demand it, and while there may be a great many things in it which should not be there, he will not jeopardize the progress of the country by withholding his signature.

We hear that the thunderbolt purifies the atmosphere, to which a political candidate in the Multnomah field says, "a Minnie ball would be a good thing to purify the Portland community of a loathsome weight of blackmailing editors."

Dispatches from Washington say Paul F. Mohr is attempting to defeat the Dalles boat railway project, claiming all the rights and franchises of the earth hereabout, thereunto appertaining. The Mohr corporation is a strong one, but unless his protests are better than his promises the country has very little to fear from him.

President Hill, of the Great Northern, will be in Spokane today. Connection between the Great Northern and the Union Pacific tracks was made yesterday, and the track-laying crew put to work ballasting the track. About 600 men are engaged in this work. The work of grading through westward, is completed at points all the way from Spokane to the Columbia river.

Anyway, we've had free and unlimited discussion of silver. Although Bill Nye, as a professional humorist, is not expected to say serious things, the following paragraph extracted from a recent article by him, fairly glistens with pearls of common sense: "Our wagon roads throughout the country are generally a disgrace to civilization, and before we undertake to supply Jaeger underwear and seal-skin covered bibles with flexible backs to the African, it might be well to put a few dollars into the relief of galled and broken down horses that have lost their health on four miserable highways."

In Senator Sherman's argument on the silver question yesterday he said the only trouble about the law was, that the senators could not see ahead. If it had been known silver was going to fall as rapidly as it did, he would have kept the silver dollar and put it on the same footing as fractional silver. The suspension of silver coinage by the Latin Union and the increase of production have given great blows to silver. He claimed it was not true he was unfriendly to silver. Sherman then went on to denounce the bill under consideration; as wrong to the American people in principle, in detail and in every aspect. It is a fraud on the creditor, and a deception to the debtor.

**SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.**

Spokane Review. The Great Northern has been presented with the freedom of the city.

Engene Guard. The mining interests of Lane county will receive considerable attention this year. There are large bodies of ore in the Blue river and Bohemia mining districts that will receive development work.

Salem Journal. While cyclones and waterspouts continue to devastate other states Oregon marches on to a grand grain and fruit crop with fine weather, no heat, no storms and abundance of the good things of earth.

Townsend Leader: The Princess rhododendron seems to be the popular state flower. There is no more reason for choosing the red clover than to select an Irish potato blossom,—both are too common and domestic.

Pullman Press: If the absent-minded gentlemen who carried away our office towel under the impression that it was a walking-stick, will return it we will feel very grateful toward him. It is the only thing we had to drive nails with.

Walla Walla Statesman: "Where Rolls the Oregon" it nowadays hears many sounds besides its own dashings, and the pleasantest sound of all is the hum of prosperity which is making the far northwest one of the nation's garden spots.

Salem Statesman. Prof E. B. McElroy will spend the next four days in Linn, Benton, Lane and Douglas counties in southern Oregon in the interest of the Oregon exhibit at the world's fair, and also in the interest of the state teachers' association to be held in Portland during the last week in June.

North Idaho Star: The Star extends its congratulations to the city of Spokane on having at last given the entering wedge a start in the lowering of freight rates. The great Northern has given that city terminal rates on the water pipes which were bought in Alabama, thus forcing the other lines to meet the rate. This is only a starter, but it is probable that other announcements on other articles will soon follow. This will be the means of securing to Spokane the trade of the richest section of country in the United States.

Enterprise. The large number of samples of ore from the new mine in Clackamas county have been assayed by the chemists at the Oswego iron works, and the average is 56 per cent of metallic iron. The Oswego mines do not exceed an average of 33 per cent iron. Next week a large quantity will be taken to the Oswego furnace, and the results of practical reduction will be observed. There is no question that the ore is very high grade.

A sunflower evaporates one and one-quarter pints of water a day, and a cabbage about the same quantity. A wheat plant exhales in 172 days about 100,000 grains of water. An acre of growing wheat, on this calculation, draws and passes out ten tons of water per day.

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